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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76503

Kenji DATE, et al.

Allowed: May 16, 2005

Appln. No.: 10/617,872

Group Art Unit: 1775

Confirmation No.: 3837

Examiner: XU, LING X

Filed: July 14, 2003

For: POROUS SINTERED METAL AND FILTER THEREOF, AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCING POROUS SINTERED METAL

RESPONSE TO NOTICE REGARDING DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

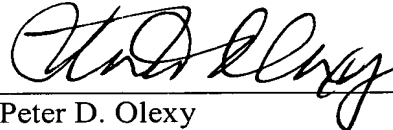
Applicant hereby submit one (1) complete set of additional drawings (Figures 1-11) including photographs Figs. 1(a), 1(b), 2(a), 2(b), 3(a), 3(b), 6(a), 6(c), 7(a), 8(a), 8(b), 9, 10 and 11, as requested by the Examiner in the Notice dated August 16, 2005 with attached PTO Form 948 .

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Respectfully submitted,



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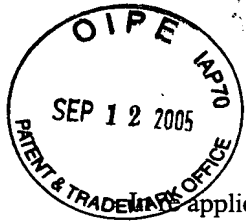
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1. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111
2. Petition for Acceptance of Color Photographs Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84 (3 set of color photographs and 1 set of black and white copies)(Check No.263071 in the amount of \$130.00)
3. Petition for One Month Extension of time (Check No. 263070 in the amount of \$120.00)

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